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ROSE, Forty-niner

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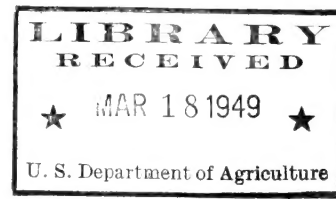
Here is a wonderful new Hybrid Tea Rose with bold contrasting colors that reflect the dash of the original "forty-niners". The outside of the petals is dazzling yellow in the bud, changing to straw-yellow, while the inside is bright cherry-red. The long-pointed buds and mildly fragrant, well-formed flowers attract many admirers, and the tall, vigorous plant is disease resisting and moderately branching. An All-America Rose Selection for 1949.

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The Forty-Niners

"GOLD!" was the cry that echoed and re-echoed across the land from California one hundred years ago. "Gold!" was the awful, magic word that fanned the flame of desire in men's hearts, the desire for quick and easy wealth. "GOLD!" shouted across the country by a million mouths made men leave their homes and join the mad rush of the forty-niners for the fields whence came the exultant cry, "Pay dirt!" Lone men and whole families frantically packed up and set out, by land and by sea. Spurred on by the vision of gold, with caution and discretion cast aside, they braved danger and hardship and endured discomfort and suffering, for gold was at the end of the trail! Yes, some arrived at the gold fields and became rich. Some never found gold. Some perished on the way. The story of the forty-niners is a story of thrills and joy, of disappointment and heart-aches. When the mania was over, logic and sanity returned. Men began then to reap other forms of riches from the soil, for the soil is yet the source of all wealth. Food, clothing, warmth and shelter, all come from the prolific soil. Beauty also springs from the soil—the beauty of plants, which we all can foster. As the forty-niners gathered riches from the soil one hundred years ago, so may we today gather the wealth that is the fragrance and loveliness of plants. We still grow in 1949 many of the plants that were cherished in 1849. We may also enjoy new kinds given us by plant explorers and horticulturists. The plants listed in these pages are chosen from the best of the old and the most meritorious of the new. Plant them in your yard and reap gold nuggets of beauty from the soil—"Pay dirt!"

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Forty-Niners... 49 PERENNIALS



COLUMBINES

VIOLET, ROYAL ROBE. *Viola odorata* var.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Large, deep violet-blue; fragrant. Early spring and fall. 8 in.

VIOLET, GERALD WALLACE.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Large, two-toned blue flowers with a pansy-like center. Hardy. Early spring. 8 in.

BRUNNERA, or ANCHUSA.
Brunnera macrophylla.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Dainty clusters of bright blue, like forget-me-nots. Sun or shade. 12 in.

PRIMROSE, MUNSTEAD STRAIN.
Primula polyantha var.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Tones of orange, yellow, red, tan and terra-cotta. Thrives in shade. May, June. 10 in.

PHLOX, EMERALD CUSHION, BLUE.
65c each, 3 for \$1.75, 5 for \$2.50
Creeping. Deep emerald-green foliage. 6 in.

PHLOX, EMERALD CUSHION, PINK.
65c each, 3 for \$1.75, 5 for \$2.50
A variety with clear pink flowers.

BLEEDING-HEART. *Dicentra spectabilis*.
\$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75, 5 for \$4.25
The old favorite with heart-shaped, clear pink flowers freely produced. Sun or shade. 24 in.

VIOLET, DOUBLE RUSSIAN.
Viola odorata var.
65c each, 3 for \$1.75, 5 for \$2.50
Fragrant, double flowers. Grows well in shade. 8 in.

COLUMBINE, MRS. SCOTT ELLIOTT HYBRIDS. *Aquilegia* var.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Wide color range. Thrives in partial shade. May, June. 36 in.

LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY. *Convallaria majalis*.
Clumps, 65c each, 3 for \$1.75, 5 for \$2.50
Delightful fragrance. Grows in shade. Usually in bloom for Memorial Day. 8 in.

CORALBELLS, PINK DELIGHT.
Heuchera sanguinea var.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Tiny pink bells on slender stems above rosettes of leaves. For edging or rock garden. June on. 18 in.

LUPINE, RUSSELL HYBRIDS.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Many rich shades. Blooms in early June. 3 ft.

HARDY CARNATION, PINK PRINCESS.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Double salmon-pink with spicy fragrance. Excellent for cutting. 12 in.

HARDY CARNATION, WALLACE RED.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Dark red flowers; deep green foliage. June on. 12 in.

LOWCLUSTER BELLFLOWER.
Campanula glomerata acaulis.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Compact clusters of purple bells. July, August. 6 in.

WOOLLY SPEEDWELL. *Veronica incana*.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Blue flowers; silvery foliage. June. 10 in.

HARDY CARNATION, BRISTOL PURITY.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Pure white, double; spicy fragrance. Blue-gray foliage. Excellent cut flower. 12 in.



VIOLETS, Royal Robe

that we consider the best from the several hundred varieties we are growing. Some of these are offered for the first time; others are varieties that grew in your grandmother's garden and have stood up under the tests of time. All are desirable and will make thrilling additions to your garden.

This list is arranged in the order of flowering, starting with the early spring. At the end of each description the figure indicates the ultimate height of the plant.

CAUCASIAN SCABIOSA.
Scabiosa caucasica.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25

Blue flowers, fine for cutting. June, July. 24 in.

DELPHINIUM, SUMMER SKIES.
75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 5 for \$3.00
Long spikes of bright blue flowers. 5 ft.

DELPHINIUM, BLACK KNIGHT.
75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 5 for \$3.00
Deep violet-blue. 5 ft.

DELPHINIUM, GALAHAD.
75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 5 for \$3.00
Glistening white. Splendid when combined with blue. 5 ft.

BLUE STAR BELLFLOWER.
Campanula poscharskyana.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Blue star-like flowers above rich green mounds of foliage. June on. 8 in.

ASTILBE, FANAL.
90c each
Feathery plumes of deep garnet. 30 in.

PENSTEMON, ROSE ELF.
Penstemon barbatus var.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
More compact than older varieties. Clear rose-pink spikes. June, July. 18 in.

DWARF THREADLEAF COREOPSIS.
Coreopsis verticillata nana.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Bright orange. June on. 8 in.

BLUE SPIRE VERONICA.
Veronica spicata var.
65c each, 3 for \$1.75, 5 for \$2.50
Deep blue spikes; dark shiny foliage. All summer. 15 in.

HELIOPSIS, SUMMER GOLD.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Orange-yellow, semi-double. June to August. 36 in.

ORIENTAL IRIS, DOUBLE WHITE.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Large, flat, six-petal, clear white flowers touched gold. 36 in.

ORIENTAL IRIS, DOUBLE PURPLE.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Rich purple. July. 36 in.

MORDEN'S PINK LOOSESTRIPE.
Lythrum.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Long rose-pink spikes. July to September. 30 in.

PHLOX, FLASH.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Glowing rosy red. One of the first Phlox to bloom. 36 in.

PHLOX, JULY LIGHTS.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Bright carmine-red. Very showy. Early. 30 in.

PHLOX, MARY LOUISE.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Large, pure snow-white; fragrant. 30 in.

PHLOX, PROGRESS.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Light blue; deeper eye. The truest blue of all, with large florets.

PHLOX, SPITFIRE.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Glowing salmon-orange. 30 in.



CHRISTMAS ROSE



PRIMROSES, Munstead Strain

PHLOX, DAILY SKETCH.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Largest pink. Very popular. 36 in.

BLUE BALLOONFLOWER.
Platycodon grandiflorum.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Large blue bells. July, August. 36 in. Also white; same price.

DAYLILY, HYPERION. *Hemerocallis*.
75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 5 for \$3.00
The largest Daylily. Pale yellow. Sun or shade. July, August. 36 in.

SPARK'S MONKSHOOD.
Aconitum napellus, Spark's Variety.
65c each, 3 for \$1.75, 5 for \$2.50
Well-branched, deep blue flower cluster. July on. 36 in.

BLUE PLANTAINLILY. *Hosta caerulea*.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Violet-blue bells. Sun or shade. July, August. 18 in.

CLUMP SPEEDWELL.
Veronica maritima subsessilis.
75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 5 for \$3.00
Violet-blue spikes above glossy foliage. July on. 30 in.

HELIANTHUS, LODDON GOLD.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Clusters of enormous, double, dahlia-like flowers. All summer. 36 in.

HELENIUM, RIVERTON GEM.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Shades of terra-cotta and mahogany. August, September. 36 in.

ASTER, VIOLETTA.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Large, deep blue Fall Aster. More compact and sturdy than most older varieties. 36 in.

ASTER, LITTLE RED BOY.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Bright red mounds. September, October. 15 in.

ASTER, HARRINGTON'S PINK.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Clear pure pink. September, October. 36 in.

ASTER, BLUE GOWN.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
China-blue, large. One of the best light blues. 48 in.

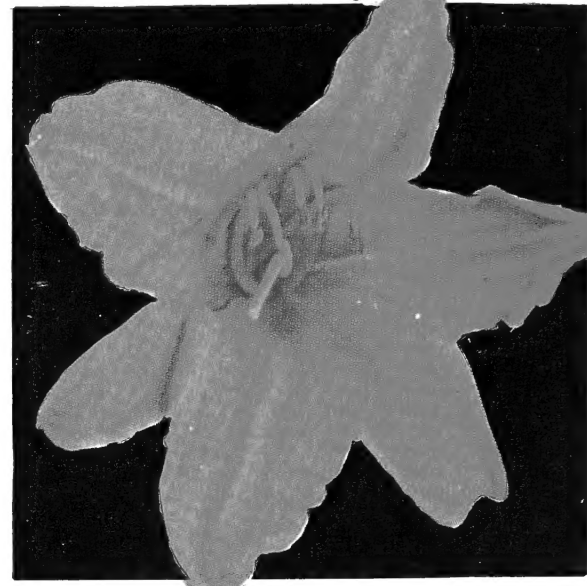
ASTER, BEECHWOOD CHALLENGER.
60c each, 3 for \$1.50, 5 for \$2.25
Brilliant crimson-red flowers. September, October. 36 in.

CHRISTMAS ROSE. *Helleborus niger*.
\$1.00 each,
3 for \$2.70,
5 for \$4.25

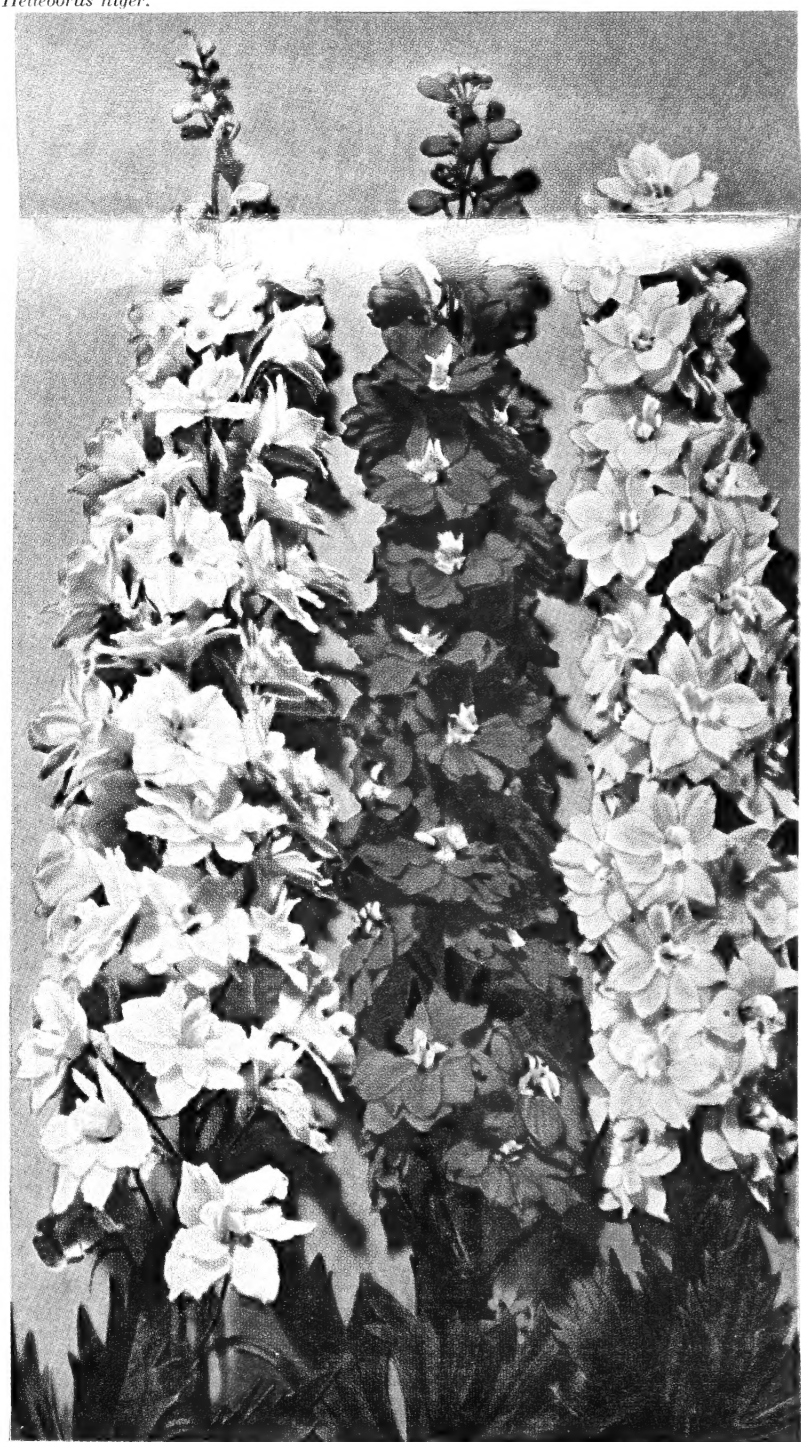
This plant waits until winter to brighten up the dreary landscape with billows of large, white, bell-like flowers which will withstand cold, snow and wintry blasts. The palm-like evergreen leaves add to its attractiveness. 10 in.



PHLOX, Spitfire



DAYLILY, Hyperion



DELPHINIUMS

If there are other Perennials that you desire, write us because we are growing several hundred varieties and the chances are that we have them.

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Forty-Niners... 49 CHRYSANTHEMUMS

OF SURPASSING MERIT

Thousands of visitors to our nurseries last fall saw 4000 Chrysanthemums in over 160 varieties growing in our fields as a display garden.

This gave us an opportunity to compare different varieties growing under similar conditions. The following list is our choice, and it coincides with the varieties that appealed to the greatest number of visitors. These are really the cream of the crop.

Price: 60c each, any 3 for \$1.50, any 10 for \$4.50 POSTPAID when remittance accompanies order. (These are spring prices only.)

Note in your calendar now to visit our 1949 display in October and see the largest Chrysanthemum field in Massachusetts. Bring your camera along for colored pictures. Come week days or Sunday.

Customers who live within driving distance of our nurseries are invited to come directly to our perennial department on Route 139, between North Abington and Rockland, and see thousands of these plants in our greenhouses. We know you will be delighted with the sturdiness of the plants we grow.

Of course, you'll see thousands of other perennials, herbs, and ground-cover plants too. Hours 7 A.M. to 5 P.M. Not open for business on Sunday.

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Figures following descriptions indicate the ultimate height of the plants.

Allegro. A new color difficult to describe. Imagine a shrimp-pink-salmon with a bit of copper blended in and you have an idea of its loveliness. Good-sized, fully double flowers. 30 in.



BETTY

Avalanche. A large, well-formed, pure white with a creamy center. One of the most popular white Mums of the last few years. 24 in.

Barbara Small. A new deep lavender, darker in the center, beginning to bloom in September. Medium size. 30 in.

Betty. New, and destined to be one of the most popular of the pink varieties. Unusually sturdy habit with large, double flowers. Almost salmon-pink. 36 in.

Bokhara. Rose, crimson and wine blended together in perfectly formed, double flowers. A rugged plant. Excellent for cutting. 21 in.

Bronze Pyramid. Recurving, large, double blooms of rich walnut-bronze. Pyramidal in habit. 30 in.

Burma. Large, well-shaped, bronze flowers with copper and pink undertones. 30 in.

Carnival. One of the most striking of the new varieties. Shades of bronze, red and gold combine to give a glowing burnt-orange effect to the large, double flowers. 30 in.

Charles Nye. Large clusters of deep yellow flowers. Recently introduced, it met with immediate approval by all who saw it. 30 in.

Chippewa. An early-blooming variety with rich aster-purple, double flowers of pleasing form. 24 in.

Chris Columbus. The round, firm flowers open cream color, changing to pure white. One of the best. 30 in.

Courageous. Proclaimed by most people as the best red Mum. Rich, brilliant crimson, large, double flowers. Fine habit. 30 in.

Eugene A. Wander. Accepted as the finest early yellow of its type. Full, rather shaggy flowers of startling brilliance. 20 in.

Ganna. Large, double, lavender flowers with a silvery sheen—certainly a pleasing combination. 30 in.

Glowing Coals. A well-named, new, early-flowering variety with medium-sized, deep garnet flowers that really glow. 24 in.

Harbor Lights. An appropriate name—luminous soft yellow. Double. 24 in.

Ivory Glow. This new variety was easily one of the most popular Mums in our large collection. Pleasing ivory-white, large, solid flowers and excellent habit. 30 in.

Jayeff. Huge, double, deep pink flowers nearly 4 inches across. Early. 24 in.

Lavender Lady. The clear, pure lavender shade of its large, double flowers is responsible for the continued popularity of this favorite. 24 in.

Mellow Glow. A soft, glowing combination of orange, peach and bronze. Large flowers; early blooming. 30 in.

MRS. MERLE AVERELL. This is a new introduction of our own that we are offering exclusively this year for the first time. The large, double flowers are a pleasing shade of bright rose-pink. There are so many varieties of Chrysanthemums already that we believe a new seedling must be outstanding to merit introduction. We do not hesitate in offering Mrs. Merle Averell, for we are confident it is a welcome addition to the list of better Chrysanthemums.

Mrs. P. S. du Pont III. Attractive double blooms that are a pleasing blend of salmon and bronze. Has been one of the most popular since its introduction a few years ago. 30 in.

Murmurs. A new attractive lavender-purple that is in full bloom in September. 20 in.

Olive Longland. The large, apricot and salmon flowers made this variety a favorite as soon as it was introduced. The unique blend of colors gives the blooms a soft, warm glow that is unusual. 24 in.

Orange Glow. Orange petals that are light yellow on the reverse give this large-flowered variety a surprising brilliance. 30 in.

Oriental Gold. Large, bright orange-red flowers of a particularly pleasing form. 30 in.

Pink Radiance. The profusion of large, clear pink flowers which this dependable variety gives us has maintained its popularity year after year. 30 in.

Polar Ice. The purest white we know. Shaggy flowers with a dazzling, almost blue-white iciness. 24 in.

Silver Moon. Gleaming white, very large, single flowers, produced early in the season. You will enjoy using this one in flower arrangements. 36 in.

Silver Tips. A pleasing oddity among Mums. Bright carmine petals tipped with silver. 24 in.

Tampico. Another new one that will surely remain a favorite. Clusters of large, bronze flowers of unusual brightness that are fine for cutting. 36 in.

White Wonder. Round, pompon-type flowers that open cream and turn to pure white. Early blooming. 30 in.

Yellow Avalanche. This new Mum has all of the good characteristics of the well-known white Avalanche but is buttercup-yellow. 24 in.

CUSHION CHRYSANTHEMUMS

The Cushion Chrysanthemums are a group of low-growing plants forming mounds of bloom.

Apricot Glow. One of the best and earliest of the Cushions. A mass of brilliant apricot-bronze. 20 in.

Brighter Days. Pure, cool lemon-yellow—one of the brightest. 18 in.

Bronze Cushion. Deep bronze flowers that become lighter as they mature, creating on the same plant an attractive blending of light and dark shades. 18 in.

Chestnut Burr. One of the newer Cushions, producing a mound of rich chestnut flowers. 24 in.

Copper Cushion. A brand-new color among the Cushion-type Mums—shades of burnished copper. 18 in.

Coral Sea. This new variety adds still another color to the Cushion Mums—a delightful salmon-rose with a bit of copper blended in. 18 in.

Dahlia Mum. A low, broad plant that starts blooming early. Double, rich purple flowers. 20 in.

Fleur. This is the outstanding new Cushion Mum, according to all who visited our nurseries last fall and saw this variety for the first time. It is a U. S. Dept. of Agriculture introduction. We have never known a new introduction to be so quickly accepted and approved by everyone. It is described as "amaranth-purple" but no description can give you a true conception of its brilliant and appealing color, its fine habit or its profusion of perfectly formed, double flowers. 18 in.

Pink Cushion. One of the first Cushion Mums to be originated and still a favorite. 18 in.

Red Cushion. The variety we grow has been selected from several types of this color. We like this one because of its brilliance and good habit. 28 in.

Tints of Fall. A new one that combines in one luminous flower the orange, yellow and bronze shades that we associate with autumn foliage. 18 in.

White Cushion. This is the purest white we have found. A border of these plants gives the effect of a drift of snow. 18 in.

Yellow Supreme. Bright yellow flowers with a background of rich deep green foliage—a combination that made this plant an especially bright spot in our Chrysanthemum garden. We recommend it most enthusiastically. 24 in.

BUTTON CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Irene. An old variety that has come through the years unchallenged as the best white Button. 20 in.

Pepita. Eggshell-yellow Buttons with darker eyes. A new variety that gained immediate popularity. 24 in.

Yellow Irene. A pure bright yellow form of Irene, with the same good characteristics. 20 in.



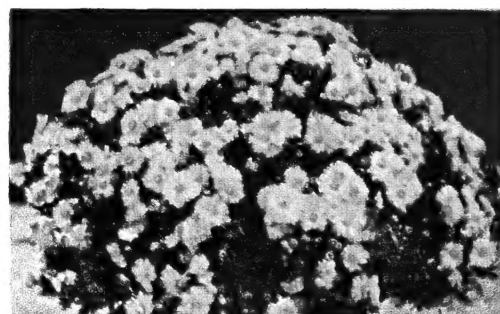
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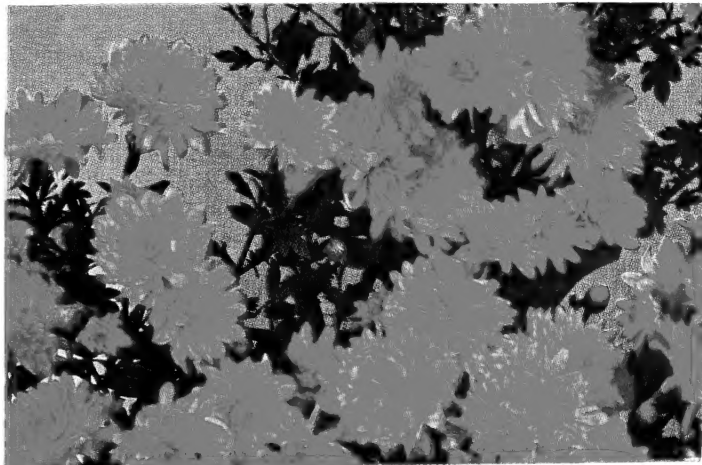
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NINETEEN *Forty-Niners* FLOWERING TREES



RED FLOWERING DOGWOOD

B&B indicates dug with ball of earth and roots burlapped

We have most of these Flowering Trees available in larger sizes also.

When comparing prices, be sure to compare sizes.



JAPANESE-FLOWERING CRAB

It is surprising how much sparkle is given the landscape by adding a few flowering trees for accents. Here are the best for 1949.

REDBUD. *Cercis canadensis*. One of our beautiful ornamental trees. The name Redbud truly fits because in the spring it is covered with small, red, pear-shaped blooms close to the branches before the leaves appear. Each 6 to 7 ft. \$5 50

WHITE FRINGE. *Chionanthus virginicus*. The Fringe Tree is a graceful, large shrub or small tree with several trunks, rather large, rich green foliage and loose clusters of white fringed flowers in early summer. Fragrant. Each 3 to 4 ft. \$1 75 | 5 to 6 ft. \$3 50
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YELLOW WOOD. *Cladrastis lutea*. A splendid tree of the Locust family, with feathery leaves and clusters of fragrant white flowers in panicles like a Wisteria, in June. Each 5 to 6 ft., B&B \$10 00 | 8 to 10 ft., B&B \$15 00
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WHITE FLOWERING DOGWOOD. *Cornus florida*. Our native Dogwood tree produces large, snowy white flowers in May before the leaves appear. Equally beautiful in autumn because of its glittering red berries and glossy foliage, which turns various shades of pink, crimson, scarlet, and maroon. Each 3 to 4 ft. \$4 00 | 6 to 7 ft. \$10 00
4 to 5 ft. 6 00

RED FLOWERING DOGWOOD. *Cornus florida rubra*. Surely one of the finest flowering trees, blooming even in small sizes. It produces deep rose-colored flowers of great beauty. Effective when planted with the white variety. Each 3 to 4 ft., B&B \$7 00 | 5 to 6 ft., B&B \$12 50
4 to 5 ft., B&B 10 00 | 6 to 7 ft., B&B 16 00

JAPANESE DOGWOOD. *Cornus Kousa*. The Japanese Dogwood is a somewhat larger tree with creamy white flowers in early July. The blooms are followed by large, brilliant red fruits attractive to birds. Each 7 to 8 ft., B&B \$15 00

CHINESE DOGWOOD. *Cornus Kousa chinensis*. An even finer specimen than the Japanese Dogwood, having larger and broader, creamy white flowers that open in a striking radial pattern in late June. Red strawberry-like fruits in the autumn. Each 5 to 6 ft., B&B \$10 00

PAUL'S SCARLET HAWTHORN. *Crataegus Oxyacantha Pauli*. A small tree of fine habit, with rich luxuriant foliage and very double, deep crimson flowers in clusters. Each 4 to 5 ft. \$5 00 | 5 to 6 ft. \$6 00

WASHINGTON HAWTHORN. *Crataegus Phaenopyrum (cordata)*. Many consider this the finest of our native Hawthorns. White flowers in May; beautiful autumn foliage and large clusters of bright red fruit, which persist through to late winter. Each 3 to 4 ft., B&B \$3 50 | 5 to 6 ft., B&B \$5 50
4 to 5 ft., B&B 4 50 | 6 to 7 ft., B&B 7 00

VOSS GOLDEN CHAIN. *Laburnum Watereri (Vossi)*. A small, tree-like shrub with green bark and graceful foliage. Flowers are pure golden yellow, in clusters 18 to 20 inches long in late spring. Each 5 to 6 ft. \$6 00

SAUCER MAGNOLIA. *Magnolia Soulangiana*. The Saucer Magnolia has the first blooms of any flowering tree that will grow in this climate and also the largest flowers. A sturdy, picturesque tree of moderate size, covered in spring with giant, rose-pink flowers before the large, glossy, dark green leaves. Each 18 to 24 in., B&B \$5 00 | 4 to 5 ft., B&B \$12 50
3 to 4 ft., B&B \$10 00

FLOWERING CRABS

Flowering Crab Apples are small trees, mostly from the Orient, covered with bloom in May. They transplant readily, flower freely and regularly, and are perfectly hardy. From almost a score of varieties we grow, we suggest the following. We have plenty of Crabs in larger sizes also.

CARMINE CRAB. *Malus atrosanguinea*. Like most Flowering Crab Apples, it makes an excellent specimen or lawn tree, for in spring it is a mass of single crimson blooms. Each 4 to 5 ft. \$4 00 | 5 to 6 ft. \$5 50

ELEY CRAB. *Malus purpurea Eleyi*. One of the best of the red-foliaged Crabs, with large clusters of reddish purple flowers followed by brilliant apricot-colored fruits. Arresting in both foliage and flowers. Each 4 to 5 ft. \$4 00 | 5 to 6 ft. \$5 50

JAPANESE FLOWERING CRAB. *Malus floribunda*. One of the best and most popular early spring-flowering bushes or small trees. The deep pink flowers appearing with the leaves are produced in great abundance. Each 4 to 5 ft. \$4 50 | 5 to 6 ft. \$6 00

Prices of all Flowering Trees are F.O.B. North Abington, Mass.

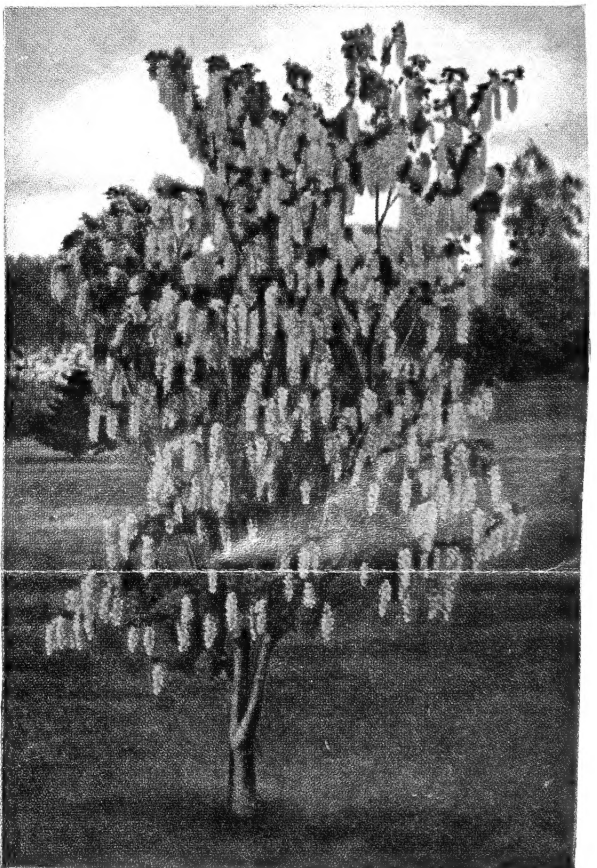
PINK WEEPER CRAB. A handsome Weeping Flowering Crab. The main stem is upright and the branches droop to the ground as they develop. The effect is like a fountain. The flowers are crimson-purple when open; the buds blood-red. Ideal for planting where the Weeping Flowering Cherry is not hardy. Each 4 to 5 ft. \$4 00

SARGENT CRAB. *Malus Sargentii*. A dwarf tree much more like a large, twiggy shrub, making a billowy drift of snowy white when covered with its mantle of blooms. In autumn it is again made attractive and bright by the abundant red fruit. We strongly recommend this tree for its bushy growth, beautiful flowers and showy fruits. Each 3 to 4 ft. \$3 50 | 4 to 5 ft. \$5 00

TEA CRAB. *Malus theifera*. A twiggy, branching tree which in the spring has every limb, branch, twig, and branchlet buried in a cloud of rose-pink blooms which slowly change to bluish-white. Each 5 to 6 ft. \$5 50 | 6 to 7 ft. \$8 00

PURPLE-LEAVED PLUM. *Prunus Pissardi Veitchi*. One of the newer flowering trees of shrub-like habit, with bronze-colored foliage which turns green in summer. In early spring it is covered with large clusters of double pink blooms not unlike those of the Flowering Cherry. It is very hardy and should be planted where the Flowering Cherries are not hardy. The fruit, which resembles a small plum, is excellent for eating. Each 4 to 5 ft. \$4 00

NIOBE WEeping WILLOW. *Salix Niobe*. Obviously this isn't a flowering tree, but it is one of the most decorative because of its slender, bright golden yellow branchlets, particularly conspicuous during the winter. It develops rapidly into a large tree with branches sweeping to the ground. While it is true that Willows will grow in wet places, many people do not realize that they will succeed equally well in places that are not especially moist. Each 6 to 8 ft. \$3 50 | 10 to 12 ft. \$7 50
8 to 10 ft. 5 00



VOSS GOLDEN CHAIN

NINETEEN *Forty-Niners* VINES

BOSTON IVY. *Ampelopsis (Parthenocissus) tricuspidata*. Clings to brick walls, masonry, rocks and stumps. The dark glossy foliage stands smoke and dust well. Orange and scarlet in fall. 2 yr., 90c each, 5 for \$4.00
3 yr., \$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.50

LOW'S IVY (MINIATURE BOSTON IVY). *Ampelopsis tricuspidata Lowi*. A finer, more delicate vine than Boston Ivy. Clings closely to walls, stone posts or garden ornaments. 3-in. pots, \$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.50

PORCELAIN AMPELOPSIS. *Ampelopsis brev. max.* Leaves striped creamy white. Fruits lilac and pinkish green to turquoise. \$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

TRUMPET VINE, MME. GALEN. Apricot flowers all summer. Clings to brick or wood. 2-yr. grafted vine, \$3.00 each, 5 for \$13.50

DUTCHMAN'S PIPE. *Aristolochia Siph.* Rapid-growing, immense, heart-shaped leaves. Purple, pipe-shaped flowers. 2-yr. vine, \$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

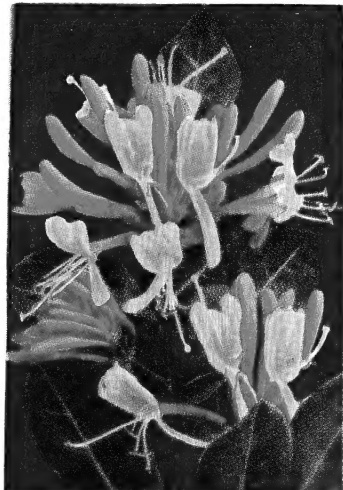
AMERICAN BITTER-SWEET. *Celastrus scandens*. Glossy leaves, bright yellow in autumn. Showy, orange and crimson fruit. 4 yr., heavy, 90c each, 5 for \$4.00

SWEET AUTUMN CLEMATIS. *Clematis paniculata*. Feathery white flowers in late summer. Fragrant. 3-yr. vine, \$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.50

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GOLDEN CLEMATIS. *Clematis lanquica*. Spectacular bright yellow flowers in June and again in late autumn. 2-yr. vine, \$1.75 each, 5 for \$8.00

LARGE-FLOWERED CLEMATIS. *Henryi*. Huge, creamy white. July, August. \$2.00 each
Jackmani. Large, velvety purple-blue. \$2.00 each
Mme. Edouard Andre. Rich purplish red. \$2.00 each
Mrs. Robert Bryden. Pale watery blue. August, September. \$2.00 each
Ramona. Single, pale blue. \$2.00 each



SUMMER KING HONEYSUCKLE

HARDY ENGLISH IVY. *Hedera Helix battica*. The best evergreen Ivy for rigorous climates. Will cling to masonry; also makes a splendid ground cover. For shade and semi-shade. 3½-in. pots, 75c each, 5 for \$3.25

CLIMBING HYDRANGEA. *Hydrangea petiolaris*. Superb for stone, brick or stucco walls. Broad foliage; wide-spreading, lacy panicles of fragrant flowers in early summer. Will grow in shade. 3-in. pots, \$2.00 each, 5 for \$9.00

JAPANESE HYDRANGEA-VINE. *Schizophragma hydrangoides*. Bright green foliage and loose clusters of fragrant white flowers. Will cling to brick or wood walls, also to old trees or stumps. 2½-in. pots, \$1.75 each
SUMMER KING HONEYSUCKLE. *Lonicera Heckrotti*. Large, fragrant blooms in immense clusters all summer. Flame-red and apricot. 2-yr. vine, \$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

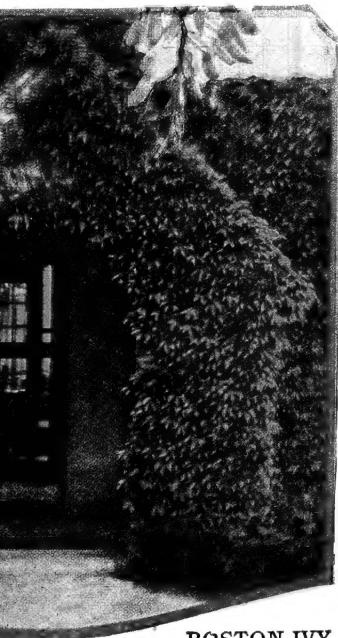
HALL JAPANESE HONEYSUCKLE. *Lonicera japonica Halliana*. Vigorous. Fragrant, yellow and white flowers in midsummer. A good ground cover in sun or shade; excellent to prevent erosion. 2 yr., 60c each, 5 for \$2.50
4 yr., 90c each, 5 for \$4.00

CHINESE FLEECE VINE. *Polygonum Auberti*. Bronzy young leaves turning green. Tiny white flowers in feathery sprays from August to October. The best hardy vine for immediate effects. 2 yr., \$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.50

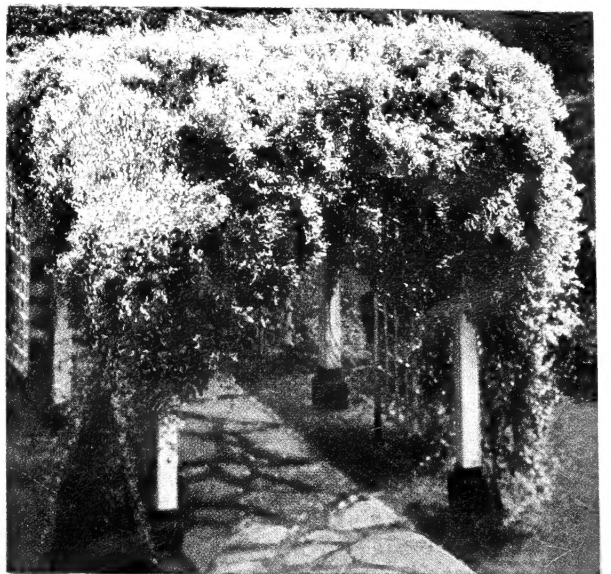
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TAMARISK, Summer Glow

VIRGINAL
MOCKORANGE



FLOWERING ALMOND

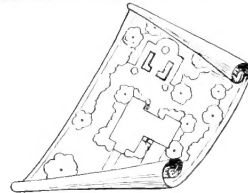


ALTHEA

CLARKE'S GIANT HYBRID LILAC.
(Pat. No. 754.) *Syringa*.
Huge single flowers of soft gentian-blue, 11½ to 12 inches across, borne in enormous clusters of unusual pyramidal form up to 12 inches or better and about 7 to 8 inches wide at the base. The flower clusters are carried well above the large foliage. The fragrance leaves nothing to be desired.
2 to 3 ft., \$5.00 each
3 to 4 ft., \$6.00 each

ESTHER STALEY HYBRID LILAC.
(Pat. No. 768.) *Syringa*.
Another extremely desirable Hybrid Lilac with large, single flowers that we regard as pinkish red buds which open to pale pink, tinged. The clusters are of good size and are produced freely in midseason; growth very vigorous.
3 to 4 ft., \$6.00 each

THE DAPHNE LILAC.
Syringa microphylla superba.
A deliciously fragrant Lilac of Chinese origin, somewhat resembling daphne. It is a lovely, graceful shrub with slender stems bearing pinkish red buds which open to pale pink, loose panicles of small individual flowers, forming a two-tone effect that is very pleasing. The foliage is very pretty, about 1 inch long and ¾ inch wide. Ordinarily blooms again in the fall.
18 to 24 in., \$1.75 each, 5 for \$8.00
3 to 4 ft., \$5.00 each, 5 for \$13.50



MINNESOTA SNOWFLAKE MOCK-ORANGE. (Pat. No. 538.) *Philadelphus*.
Like the Virginal Mockorange, this doesn't become coarse and overgrown like the old-fashioned variety. The pure white, very double blooms are extremely fragrant, and it has a much more pleasing habit of growth. Perfectly hardy; flowers in late June and July.
3 to 4 ft., \$2.50 each

VIRGINAL MOCKORANGE.
Philadelphus virginialis.
A handsome, erect shrub that covers itself with very large, semi-double flowers in late June and continues to bloom at the tips of the new shoots all summer and fall. Its foliage is dark green and the flowers are especially fragrant.
2 to 3 ft., \$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75
3 to 4 ft., \$1.75 each, 5 for \$8.00

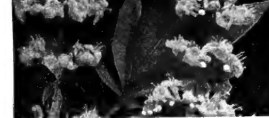
WEIGELA, BRISTOL RUBY.
(Pat. No. 492.)
The flowers are a pleasing sparkling ruby-red, shading to garnet-crimson. They are produced in immense quantities and create a wonderful display of colors. After the big spring display is past, there is again a fine showing of bloom throughout the late summer and entire autumn.
3 to 4 ft., \$2.50 each, 5 for \$11.25

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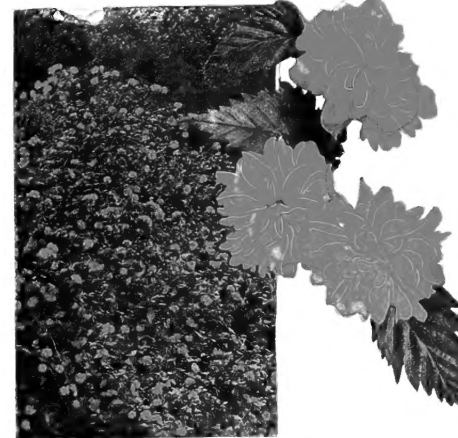
We have proved to many customers that our "plan before you plant" system has saved the customer not only money but lots of headaches. How? By selecting the right type of plants for a particular location.

To carry on the largest landscape nursery business in New England year after year we have experienced men to design plans and capable men to execute all types of landscape work.

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HARDY LILAC CHASTETREE



DOUBLE KERRIA



WEIGELA, Bristol Ruby

49 BAY STATE FRUITS for '49

APPLES 2 yr., \$1.50 each, 10 for \$13.50
Baldwin. Bright red winter Apple; good for eating and cooking.
Cortland. Bright red like McIntosh, but keeps into the winter.
Delicious. Large, conical, striped red and yellow. Winter Apple.
Gravenstein. A delicious red and yellow striped autumn variety.
McIntosh Red. A red autumn Apple with crisp flesh and delicious flavor.
Northern Spy. Large, red and yellow winter Apple for eating and cooking.
Red Astrachan. Bright red, early Apple for summer. Quick growing and early bearing.
Rhode Island Greening. Rich acid flavor, tender and juicy; yellow in color, sometimes having a red cheek. A very delicious winter Apple of good keeping quality.
Wealthy. Large and attractive quality excellent. Ripens ahead of McIntosh. A good variety, extremely hardy and heavy bearer.
Yellow Transparent. Early yellow; good for eating and cooking.

CRAB APPLES 2 yr., \$2.00 each
Hyslop. Dark red or purplish fruit. One of the best-known Crabs. Late Sept. and Oct.
PEARS 2 yr., \$2.25 each
Bartlett. Yellow and red. Fine shape and color; excellent flavor. Sept.
Beurre Bosc. Bunch-shaped; exquisite flavor. Bears abundantly. Oct. and Nov.
Clapp's Favorite. Large, lemon-colored fruit with brown dots; flesh rich and sweet. Early Aug.
Seckel. A delicious sweet Pear; small, russet-brown. Oct.

CHERRIES 2 yr., \$2.50 each
Black Tartarian. Black, sweet, early favorite.
Montmorency. Large red sour Cherry. The most popular sour Cherry in America.
2 yr., \$2.00 each

PEACHES 2 yr., \$1.25 each, 10 for \$11.00
Elberta. Large, yellow with deep red cheek. Midseason.
Golden Jubilee. Large, yellow. Early.
Hale Haven. Large, yellow fleshed, beautifully colored.
South Haven. Large, yellow flesh of excellent flavor. Early midseason; very hardy.
All are freestone

PLUMS 2 yr., \$2.25 each
Abundance. Light yellow fruits of excellent flavor.
Burbank. Dark violet-red. Middle Aug.
Fellenberg. Late, medium size, freestone. Dark purple, delicious. Fine for drying.

QUINCE 2 yr., \$2.00 each
Orange. Heavy, light yellow fruit of excellent flavor.

DWARF FRUITS

APPLES 2 yr., 3 to 3½ ft., \$3.00 each
Red Delicious **Yellow Delicious**
Red Northern Spy
PEARS 2 yr., 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50 each
Bartlett **Seckel**
Clapp's Favorite

SMALL FRUITS

ASPARAGUS ROOTS 2 yr., 25 for \$1.75, 100 for \$4.75
Mary Washington. The best variety grown. Rust resistant, rich flavored and tender.

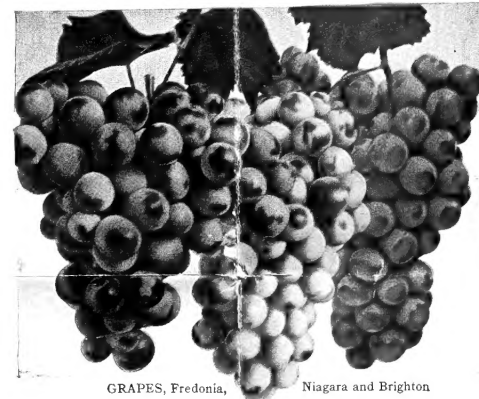
RHUBARB ROOTS 75c each, 10 for \$6.50
MacDonald Red. A popular sweet, red Rhubarb. Thick juicy bright red stalks rich in flavor. The heaviest producing variety.

GRAPES 3 yr., 90c each, 10 for \$7.50
BLUE-BLACK **RED** **WHITE**
Concord **Brighton** **Niagara**
Fredonia **Catawba**
Worden **Delaware**

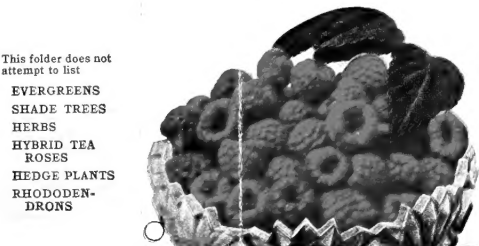
BLACKBERRIES 10 for \$1.80, 100 for \$12.00
Eldorado. A very early variety with large, handsome fruits.
Erie. Early variety.

RASPBERRIES 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00
Indian Summer. Large red berries of the ever-bearing type. June and Sept.
Latham. Brighter red, exceptionally large. Late June to mid-July. Our Raspberries are strong transplants.

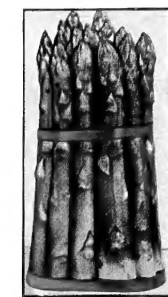
HYBRID BLUEBERRIES 12 to 15 in.
\$1.60 each, 10 for \$15.00
Cabot. Good-sized, juicy berries of excellent flavor. Plants low and spreading.
Pioneer. Medium high growth. Middle July.
Rubel. A vigorous, productive variety. Well-developed bushes; large berries of fine color. Ready to pick the first week in July.



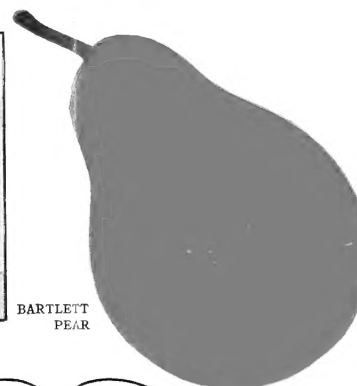
GRAPES, Fredonia, Niagara and Brighton



LATHAM RASPBERRIES



ASPARAGUS



BARTLETT
PEAR



MCINTOSH APPLE



YELLOW DELICIOUS APPLE



SOUTH HAVEN PEACH



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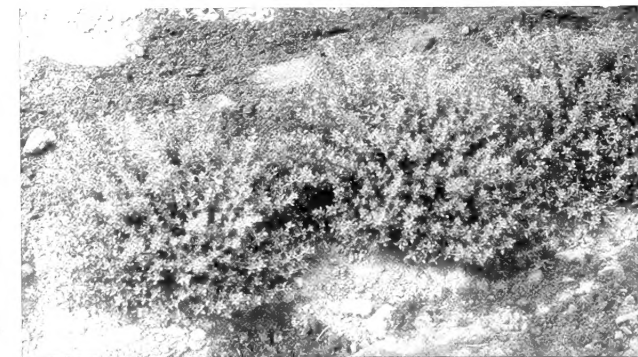
ARTEMISIA Silver Mound (*Schmidtiana nana*)

No plant has attracted the attention of visitors to our perennial department more than Artemisia, Silver Mound. Folks instinctively stoop to touch it, to see if it feels as soft and feathery as it appears to be. Its gray foliage and low, compact habit of growth make it striking, and remember, gray plants add sparkle to any garden. Use as individual plants in the garden or as a border. We know it will delight you. Like other members of the Asteraceae family, it likes a sunny location and will do well in poor dry soil—a fact that makes it useful in many out-of-the-way places. Lack of striking flowers is no handicap, for the foliage is beautiful enough to maintain interest all season. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, 10 for \$6.00. Postpaid when remittance accompanies order.

Sicily Thyme, BORDER GEM (*Thymus vulgaris Sicily*)

After growing this plant and observing it for four years, we are convinced that it will become increasingly popular, and deservedly so. Sicily Thyme, Border Gem is a distinctly spreading type, forming a low mound perhaps 6 to 9 inches high and 15 inches or more across. The minute evergreen foliage is of fine texture that contrasts pleasantly with other plants, roses, etc. It will thrive in a warm, sunny place and on dry banks where grass will not succeed. It is particularly good for a low border in the garden or in front of evergreen and shrub plantings. Rapid growth makes its cost low in comparison with any other evergreen ground cover.

10 for \$6.00, 25 for \$12.50.
Prepaid when remittance accompanies order.



JAPANESE SPURGE. *Pachysandra terminalis*.

Best evergreen ground cover for shady spots where grass will not grow. Makes an edging to face down plantings, and useful along walks. The thick leaves remain green throughout the year. We grow these by the thousands and offer them in well-established, pot-grown plants. Set 8 inches apart.
10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$21.00, not Prepaid

MYRTLE. *Vinca minor*.

A handsome evergreen ground cover with showy, bright blue flowers borne freely in early spring and at intervals throughout the summer and autumn. It is perfectly hardy and thrives splendidly under trees, where it forms a dense mat. The leaves are glossy, dark and evergreen.
10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$21.00, not Prepaid

BOWLES VARIETY MYRTLE.

Flowers large, of a deep rich blue color, borne in remarkable profusion against luxuriant, somewhat crinkly, glossy green foliage. Makes a very good edging for a shrubbery border, especially in the shade.
10 for \$4.50, 100 for \$36.00, not Prepaid

BUGLE. *Ajuga genevensis*.

This is perhaps the most colorful of all the ground covers, with flowers appearing from the axil of every leaf, cresting in May and June a beautiful deep blue carpet of waving plumes over wonderfully decorative leaves. The Bugle will grow in sun or shade.
3 for \$1.50, 10 for \$4.50, Postpaid

OTHER GROUND COVERS

NINETEEN *Forty-Niners* ROSES

*These Roses Are Northern-Grown
for Extra Hardiness*



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BLAZE. Pat. No. 10

FLORIBUNDA OR LARGE CLUSTER ROSES

These will flower continuously from June till frost, beginning the year they are planted. Floribundas are generally hardier, more disease resistant and far easier to grow than Hybrid Teas. They are suited for bedding and as an edging to formal Rose beds, as well as for supplying gay spots of color on any property.

Floribundas will thrive in the foreground of shrub and evergreen borders, bordering a walk or against a stone wall. Our sales of these plants have encouraged us to develop the largest assortment of choice Floribundas in New England.

Bright Eyes. \$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75
The canary-yellow buds, when open, produce enormous clusters of creamy yellow flowers tinged silver at the outer edges. Medium height, compact and hardy.

Chatter. (Pat. No. 739.)

\$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

A lively, bright Rose with velvety crimson petals, making a constant display. Generous clusters of dainty buds all summer. Extremely disease resistant.

Cheer. (Pat. app. for.)

\$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.50

Deep rose-pink, eye-catching, semi-double flowers are borne in groups of 5 to 11 on compact plants about 24 inches tall.

Crimson Rosette.

\$2.00 each, 5 for \$9.00

A gay crimson Floribunda of the rosette type. Especially suited for solid masses of color. Very disease resistant and vigorous. Perfect for flower arrangements.

Else Poulsen. \$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.50
Sparkling pink, semi-double flowers on sturdy plants 30 inches tall. As much in demand today as ever.

Floradora. \$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.50
Exotic geranium-red. A true Floribunda with large clusters of semi-double flowers. Height up to 36 inches. An All-America Rose Selection.

Glorious. (Pat. app. for.)

\$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

One of the newest Floribundas. Vermilion buds open to semi-double flowers of Tyrian-rose.

Goldilocks. (Pat. No. 672.)

\$1.75 each, 5 for \$8.00

The long-awaited yellow Floribunda. Clusters of golden yellow, almost fully double Roses; delightfully fragrant.

Improved Lafayette.

\$1.00 each, 5 for \$4.50

A favorite still popular because of the vividness of its red flowers, its free blooming and vigorous growth.

Permanent Wave. (Pat. No. 107.)

\$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

Daintily ruffled, gay, two-toned red petals. As many as 15 buds to a cluster on a bushy plant 2 feet tall.

Pinkie. (Pat. No. 712.)

\$2.00 each, 5 for \$9.00

Dainty plant and bloom. The bright pink flowers have 14 to 16 petals on long stems; fragrant. Excellent for cutting. All-America Rose Selection, 1948.

Pink Rosette. \$2.00 each, 5 for \$9.00

A new rosette type for beds and groups. Clear soft pink in bud and flower, with many in a cluster. Disease resistant and hardy.

Pinocchio. (Pat. No. 484.)

\$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

Pointed, salmon-pink and gold buds open to full blooms of clear bright pink. Charming in flower arrangements; sturdy, free branching.

Summer Snow. (Pat. No. 416.)

\$1.25 each, 5 for \$5.50

The most prolific of all white Floribundas. Will make possible the use of many colors in one bed.

World's Fair. (Pat. No. 362.)

\$1.50 each, 5 for \$6.75

Flowers 4 inches across, almost fully double dark velvety red. Up to 15 buds to a cluster, produced from June till frost.

CLIMBING ROSES

Blaze. (Pat. No. 10.) \$1.50 each

Large, 3-inch, vivid scarlet flowers in abundant clusters in June and intermittently all season.

Mary Wallace. \$1.10 each

Brilliant pink with yellow undertone. Fine for growing over pergolas, pillars and arches.

Paul's Scarlet. \$1.10 each

A favorite red climber. Scarlet, semi-double flowers profusely carried in clusters. Vigorous, hardy.

Silver Moon. \$1.10 each

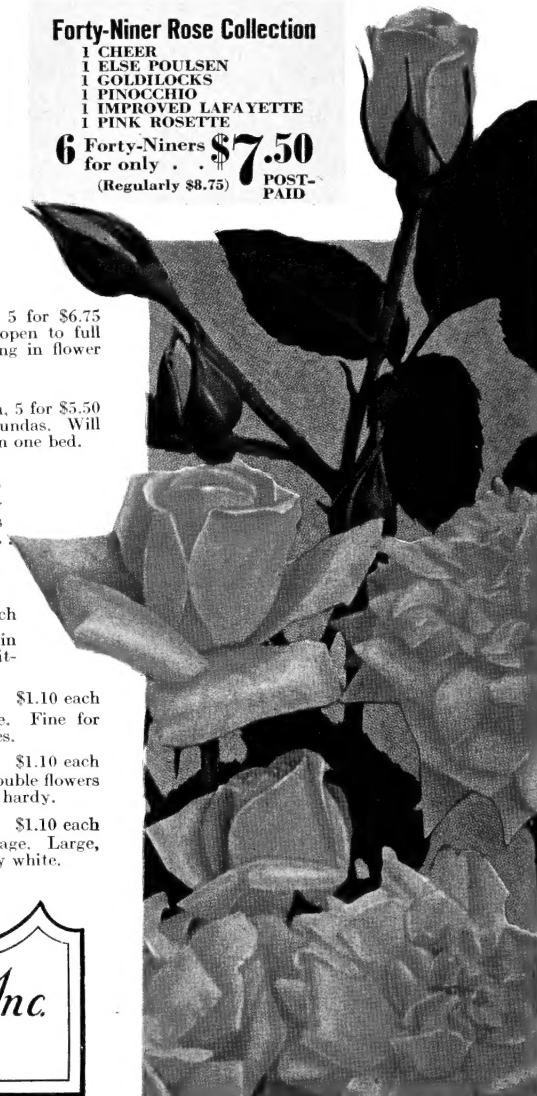
Very vigorous, with glossy green foliage. Large, 4½-inch, semi-double flowers of creamy white.

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